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IN RE APPLICATION OF

KEIICHI SHIMIZU, ET AL. : EXAMINER: DANIEL JR., W. J.

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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

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In response to the Office Action dated April 27, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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